

RUSSIA GAIN HEAT SEVERE BLOW

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Reuters News Agency reported today an insurance against Russian troops of occupation had broken out in the oil producing region of Dobo-Grych, western Ukraine, which

fell to Russia in the partition of Poland. Protesting against Soviet authority, the insurgents were said to have attacked the troops and caused many casualties. Many Russian officers and men were re-

ported to be in hospital at Lwow (Lemberg). Reuters, which said its dispatch was based on reports filtering across the border of the Soviet-occupied zone in Poland, did not identify the insurgents.

THE WEATHER

GOVERNMENT WEATHER FORECAST
Today and Sunday—Fair and mild.
Sun rises Sunday 8:30. Sets 4:15. Light
vehicles by 4:30.
Edmonton Temperatures Friday—Maxi-
mum, 44 above; Minimum, 24 above.

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WHEAT CLOSE

SATURDAY
WINNIPEG CLOSING—Dec. 8: 84½ May,
85½ July, 86½.

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Ambassador Has Worries



DR. H. PROCOPE

Worried visitor at the State Department was Dr. Hjalmar Procope, Finnish minister to the U.S., who conferred with both President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull. He described the Russian invasion as no war, but a "ruthless attack upon a peaceful small nation."

BLUE BOMBERS, OTTAWA TIED AT HALFTIME

Tommy and Beiber Score Touchdowns in First Quarter of Classic

LANDSWANE PARK, OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—Wimpy Blue Bombers and Ottawa Rough Riders were tied 6-6 at half time in the annual east-west Canadian football classic being played here today before 11,000 spectators.

Ottawa scored first blood when Andy Tommy went over for a touchdown on a hipper-dipper passing play. The convert was made by Herman. Shortly after Andy Beiber crashed over the Ottawa line on two plays to make the score 6-3. Kabat missed the convert. In the second quarter Blue Bombers tied the score when O'Neill was roused by McCane after a long kick by Kabat from the 45-yard line. The game was featured by the fine running of Fritz Hanson and the smart kicking of Sammy Sward, Ottawa kicker.

Bright Lighting Floods Streets Around Market

Forty-four brilliant new lights, providing "white way" illumination for streets adjacent to the city market, were turned on for the first time Friday night. Merchants and other citizens expressed pleasure at the new life given to these business thoroughfares.

The lights are placed on seven blocks, on 80 street from Jager to 102 avenue, on 101A avenue from 102 street to 100 street, and on 102 avenue from 97 to 100 streets.

Norwegian Ship Reported Sunk

OSLO, Norway, Dec. 9.—The Norwegian steamer Glomfjord was reported sunk after an explosion off the coast of England. It was reported here today. Three men were reported drowned and 18 saved after being out in lifeboats for 80 hours. The Glomfjord, built in 1916, was registered out of Arendal, Norway.

If You Don't Get The Bulletin, You Don't Get All The News—Nor The Pictures!

Edmonton Bulletin

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER IN PUBLIC SERVICE

Storminess Of Finns Hurts Soviet Prestige

By WEBB MILLER

British United Press Exclusive Cable to The Edmonton Bulletin.

HELSINKI, Finland, Dec. 9.—Finland's stubborn, cool resistance to the Russian giant has dealt a severe blow to the prestige of the fabulously large Red army throughout Europe, including Germany.

The stout stand which little Finland had made may have important political repercussions all over Europe, and an effect on the future progress of the European war out of all proportion to the extent of the Finnish-Russian struggle itself.

Traveling here from the British Expeditionary Force front in France through Belgium, Holland, England, Denmark and Sweden, I gathered the impression that the reputation for invincibility of the huge Russian military machine had been badly tarnished in the eyes of Russia's neighbors.

Extreme secrecy as to the actual size up of the Red army had enhanced its prestige. It was a bugaboo. In the few days of fighting since the Finnish-Russian war started Dec. 1, according to the impression I got from people

to whom I have talked, this bugaboo has ceased to terrify as it once did.

On the Finnish airplane on which I came from Sweden to Asbo, Finland, I talked with a young Fin who had lived in Germany and was returning to join the army. He told me that already people in Germany were beginning to ask themselves:

"What is this so-called great military power which we have heard cursed when a young Finland can successfully resist it? Maybe we did not make such a good bargain after all in our pact with Russia."

The Finns said that the mass of people in Germany seemed apprehensive about the encroachment of Russia in the long run, thus constituting a future menace to German security.

In Sweden I found great apprehension lest the Soviets try to

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Ace War Correspondent Goes To Finnish Front

British United Press

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Webb Miller has shifted from the western front to the Finnish front to cover Europe's newest war for the British United Press.

Miller was in the first small group of correspondents accredited to the British army in France last October.

(Webb Miller's dispatches will be found exclusively here in the Edmonton Bulletin.)

Last week with the Red army moving into Finland, he left the British forces, and now has arrived in Helsinki to cover the new "Eastern Front."

The Finnish war is the latest of many which Miller has reported since 1916, including Pershing's expedition into Mexico, the World War, the Rift war, the Ethiopian

campaign and the Spanish civil war. He supervised the coverage of the Austrian Anschluss and personally covered the Munich conference and the occupation of Czechoslovakia.

When Miller folded up his World War diary in 1918, it did not mean that he was leaving covering the World War. He was through with the battles of Chateau Thierry, the Vesle, Oureq and the Argonne, but not with the tremendous aftermaths of the war.

In all, Miller has given about 60,000 miles in the course of his reportorial duties and has crossed the Atlantic by seaplan and clipper.

By NORMAN R. DEUEL
British United Press Exclusive Cable to The Edmonton Bulletin.

HELSINKI, Dec. 9.—Finnish H troops, using rifles, machine guns and artillery to rain death into massed Russian infantry, have driven the Red army back for a three mile loss in eastern Karelia. The battle at Karelia is developing into the biggest battle of the Russian-Finnish war. Fighting centered at the Kivimäki bridgehead at the eastern end of the Vuoksi lake system, west of Lake Ladoga.

Doppel said the Russians, fearing the old Finnish tactics of massed frontal infantry charges with the bayonet, regardless of the terrain, had suffered heavier losses due to the deter-

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Blockade Is Being Defied By Finland

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 9.—With naval hostilities and blockades on all sides, the Scandinavian countries felt the pinch of war today as Finland defied Russia's blockade of her coast.

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\$31,500 SOUGHT AS DAMAGES IN TRAFFIC CASES

Traffic accidents on northern Alberta highways on October 9 last have resulted in the filing of supreme court statements of claim for damages aggregating \$31,500 at the court house Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Silpinski, administrator for the estate of Nykifor Silpinski, Mundare, is seeking \$10,150 general and special damages from John and Sam Vedon, father and son, for the death of her husband who died as a result of injuries received in a collision between two trucks near Mundare on October 9.

The statement of claim was filed by the law firm of Jackson and McDonald, Edmonton barristers.

In the other action John Iluk, through his father, Prokop Iluk, Harry Iluk, is seeking \$20,000 general damages for injuries received in a collision one mile east of Elk Island Park on No. 15 highway.

The defendants are John Stein, Trader's Transport Co., and Lloyd Desjardins, operator of an oil truck owned by the company.

Prokop Iluk was riding with his son in their car, is suing for \$1200 for damage to car and injuries. H. A. White, Mundare, filed the statement of claim.

Masks To Finns

LONDON, Dec. 9.—British firms were reliably reported today to have arranged to supply 60,000 gas masks to Finland.

By C. M. JAHN
British United Press Exclusive Cable to The Edmonton Bulletin.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 9.—Dispatches from Helsinki today told Finland is preparing a three-front counter-offensive against the Russians who have been hammering vainly at their stoutly defended lines. It is proposed to attack the Russians on the Karelian isthmus and on two midland fronts, where the Russians seek to drive westward across the country to the top of the Gulf of Bothnia.

People of Helsinki watched the clear sky today for Russian raiders. The day was a brisk one, good for raiding. The temperature was 23 degrees above zero.

Fighting on a considerable scale is going on in mid-Finland fronts. Not only have the Russians

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The weatherman says it's fair and mild, and taking him at his word, 15-year-old Pat Sudbury of the Greencrest apartments, 9008 Greencrest avenue, is out for a barometer stroll around the Greencrest Service Station with a bag of buns. Pat says he has a fine time playing with Sister Joan and Bertie Dutton, a neighbor boy. It's something new to be running around barfaced on December 9 in Edmonton, but watch out, Pat. Mother may be watching!

Old Country Football

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Soccer matches played in the United Kingdom today resulted as follows:

SOUTH "A"
Millwall 1, Clapton 1.
Southend 2, Norwich 4.
Tottenham 1, Crystal Palace 3.
Watford 1, Arsenal 2.
West Ham 4, Charlton 3.

SOUTH "B"
Brighton 1, Bournemouth 1.
Brighton 1, Portsmouth 2.
Culter 2, Aldershot 2.
Reading 6, Fulham 1.
Southampton 1, Queens Park Rangers 2.

NORTHWEST
Bristol Rovers 1, Swindon 3.
Cardiff 7, Bristol City 3.
Blackpool 1, Preston 3.
Torquay 3, Plymouth 2.

NORTH
Bradford 2, Leeds 1.
Middlesbrough 1, Hull City 1.
Middlesbrough 1, Halifax 1.
Sheff. Wed. 1, City 1.
York City 2, Darlington 1.

SOUTHWEST
Barnet 2, Brentford 1.
Blackburn 1, Burnley 0.
Blackpool 3, Preston 3.
N. Chester 0, N. Wales 1.

Previously acknowledged
Chester Branch Can. Legion 1, 3:40.
Ladies' Assn. Canadian Legion 1, 3:40.
Remembrance Day, London 1:35.
Three Girls, Ottawa 1:00.
Duke of Cornwall Chap., 1:00.
N. Chester, Alta. 1:00.

Total 127:35.

Film Comedian Suffers Left Lung Collapse

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 9.—Joe E. Brown was found today to have suffered a collapsed left lung from injuries in an auto accident. "He's a pretty sick person," said Dr. James W. Young, "and there'll be no football for him today." This was a blow to the wide-mouthed comedian. He had hoped to attend today's game between the universities of Southern California and California at Los Angeles.

Prizes of \$1,000 Cash Offered In Bulletin Contest

Third Annual Advertisers' Puzzle Competition Opens Monday—Cash and Merchandise Awards Again Offered

Remembered for two years past as the greatest and most fun-producing event of the calendar year, the Third Annual Bulletin's Advertisers' Puzzle Contest will open Monday. It will heap \$1,000 in cash awards and many valuable merchandise prizes in the laps of residents of Edmonton and central and northern Alberta.

Last year and the year before, thousands of citizens completed and hundreds reaped a rich harvest from the array of prizes. They remember the enjoyment, the spice of the keen competition, the adventure, the testing of knowledge and their wits and they also remember how exhilarated they were when the prizes poured in.

For many weeks, hundreds have been asking, "When are you going to start The Bulletin's Advertisers' Puzzle Contest again?"

We want to get it in.

PICTURES ON MONDAY

Today The Bulletin announces the opening of its third annual contest. Starting Monday, December 11, picture prizes will appear on the 50 days on the first page of the classified advertising section of the paper, to be clipped, solved and sent in for the judging at the end of the competition.

Each picture drawing will represent a well known advertising slogan. "Glas-The Glass."

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ITALY REJECTS NAZI PROPOSAL FOR FINN PEACE

ROME, Dec. 9.—Foreign minister Galeazzo Ciano's newspaper Il Telegrafo reported today that the Soviet Union has rejected a "secretly private" German proposal for peace negotiations with Finland. The suggestion was said to have been made by the Finnish Foreign Minister, Yrjö Maasilta, premier and foreign minister, by Count Friedrich Werner von Helldorf, the German ambassador in Moscow.

Are These Men Forgotten? Give Until It Hurts

Twenty-five years ago came the call to arms, as it has in recent months. Young men flocked to the colors and marched away to fight in the Great War. Some remained "in Flanders Fields." Some came back sound in body and limb. And others—fragments from France—came back mere shells of their former selves.

On white rolls in the Military Ward are many men who served in the Great War, suffering cruel wounds and other disabilities. It is to assist them in having a Merry Christmas that The Bulletin again opens its columns to receive donations to The Not Forgotten Fund.

Time is fleeting. Send your donation today before you forget in the last minute Christmas rush.

A new provincial executive of 18 members, representing seven branches of the association, was elected at the convention held to the conclusion of its two-day sessions in Calgary.

Bridge Bombing Report Is Canard

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Police said today a report of an attempt to bomb the First of April bridge near the Regent's Park has originated from a length of film tossed out of a train window gridded accidentally. Last night's report said a bomb was tossed from a train window.

Civilians Leave Northern Norway

OSLO, Dec. 9.—The newspaper Morgenbladet reported today that the civilian population of northern Norway, mostly women and children, was moving south because of the frontier across the nearby Finnish frontier.

ARGENTINA TO QUIT UNLESS RUSS OUSTED

Threat Of South American Country To Be Present—Formally Monday

By FRANK SANE
British United Press Exclusive Cable to The Edmonton Bulletin.

GENEVA, Dec. 9.—Argentina has informed the League of Nations that if Russia is not expelled, Argentina will resign from the League. The British United Press was informed authoritatively today.

The Argentine threat will be presented formally to the League Assembly in a virtual ultimatum on Monday and already League officials have been informed of the action the Buenos Aires government plans.

Argentina will demand the right to speak first at Monday's assembly meeting as sponsor of the movement to expel Russia for her invasion of Poland. Argentina has been informed of the action the Buenos Aires government plans.

have the same chance to win a prize in The Bulletin's Annual Advertisers' Puzzle Contest as any other reader of this newspaper. And it won't cost you a penny—and you don't have to sell anything. This fascinating Contest starts on Monday, December 11th, with \$1,000.00 in Cash Prizes and valuable merchandise awards for the winners. You

avoid disappointment by ordering The Bulletin delivered to your home every night. Just telephone 26121, Circulation department, and arrange for Carrier-boy service. If you live out of town contact The Bulletin Carrier in your Community, your Postmaster, or write The Bulletin, Jasper Ave., Edmonton. You'll have lots of fun solving the drawings. Now go out and

GERMANY AS IT IS TODAY

A comprehensive map of the new borders of Germany will be found today on Page 15.

**Blue Lined
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Per
pkg. **5c**
Box
38 pkgs. **89c**

HINGES
Large Variety
Value to 50c pr
5c

15c
Taper Saw
FILES
5c
Delivered
in Extra

**Swedish
FLAT**

Values to 50c
10c
Delivered
in Extra.

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Pattern
SAW
1000 1000

FILES
25c
Delivered in Extra.

25c
Double End
SAW
FILES
With Handle
10c
Delivered in Extra.

Nest Eggs
12 for
20c

Gla

Kmas Tree
ss Ornament

12 for 10c

\$1.00
Rubber Set
Kalsomine
Brushes
6-inch
69c

TABLE
HINGES
1½, 1½ and
2-inch, Pair
5c
Dozen pair 50c

Counter

**Check
Books
2½c**

**Mirror
Hinges
Crate
Hinges**
Your choice. Pair
2½c

POP GUNS
With Holster
15c

Butcher

Knives
10c
Delivered

Floor Oil
Gallon
49c

YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT YOU WILL SEE . . . BUT YOU DO KNOW IT COSTS LESS.

Game of Pick-Up Sticks
20c
Delivered

AUTO HEAD-LIGHT BULBS
19c
12 lights 18c
Delivered

Guaranteed
PARK PLUGS
39c
Delivered

Axe
Handles
Single or double bit
25c

A WORD OF FRIENDLY ADVICE—GET YOUR ORDERS IN EARLY

**JOEL MCCREA
BRENDA MARSHALL
JEFFREY LYNN**
in "ESPIONAGE AGENT"
STRAND
STARTS SATURDAY

**SHIRLEY TEMPLE
MARGARET LOCKWOOD
ANDREW SCOTT**
in "SUSANNAH OF THE MOUNTAINS"
PRINCESS
STARTS SATURDAY

**JOHN HOWARD
DOROTHY LAMOUR
AKIM TAMIROFF**
in "DISPUTED PASSAGE"
CAPITOL
STARTS SATURDAY

ANDY DEVINE—RICHARD ARLEN
in "LEGION OF LOST FLYERS"
Added:
ROY ROGERS in "SOUTHWARD HO."
RIALTO
STARTS SATURDAY

**MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN
HENRY FONDA
OLAH BELLAMY** in
"LET US LIVE"
DREAMLAND
STARTS SATURDAY

Around The Armories

News Notes From Garrison and C.A.S.F. Units

It's been a hectic week at the Edmonton Garrison, with all units carrying on intensive training and despite a deluge of business and attention to many activities. Lt. Col. E. Brown, M.M., Garrison Commander, continues to look healthy and wise—none can say a soldier looks better. But Col. Brown does not spare himself. He is here, there and everywhere and tribute recently paid by Major General A. G. I. McNaughton that the Edmonton Garrison is better quartered and better administered than most, is a sincere and well deserved tribute to Col. Brown.

Apple sauce—the real kind, not the old battery—was the order of the day at the Garrison on Thursday, thanks to members of the Knights of Columbus club. Several boxes of apples were converted into sauce by the cooks. It was a nice addition to the weekly ration of roast pork, while some of the boys said the apple pies were very good.

The University of Alberta "A" basketball team proved too strong for the 9th Army Troop Company R.C.E. in a recent game. The sappers went down fighting, but when the time they laid down the war, the boys failed to exploit their late victory won by 20 to 11. Nevertheless, these engineers are dynamites of the most dangerous calibre. Keep your eyes peeled.

Examinations will be the order of the day on Sunday, Dec. 17. More than 400 members of the C.R.C.E. will take their written exams at the University of Alberta. Large classes of the Edmonton Fusiliers (M.G.) and cadets of St. Xavier college also will be examined on how much they

cut will find a warm welcome awaiting them at the Garrison.

Incidentally, a package of 100 used books recently was received from the Royal British Legion.

Thanks to the "Sally Ann" Salvation Army but officials, performers who entertain the troops are given a bang-up feed of doughnuts and coffee—yum, yum—before leaving "Brownsville" for their homes.

Warm appreciation is being expressed by Col. Brown and his officers to the Canadian Red Cross Society and the Alberta Civil Service Association for their efforts in equipping the troops with sleeveless sweaters, socks and mittens. Keep up the good work, ladies, your voluntary efforts are fully appreciated.

Rev. Ross K. Cameron, minister of First Presbyterian church will be the guest preacher at the Garrison church parade at the Prince of Wales Armoury on Sunday, Dec. 17.

The 19th Alberta Dragoons, under Capt. Robert Bradburn, are busy engaged in the intricacies of military law these days. In addition, organization, strategy and tactics are being studied in readiness for promotion examinations, to be held in the near future.

The Garrison entertainment board is lining up another pukauch program for the benefit of the troops. It will be presented early in January and from advance notices it will be a worthy successor to the first chuck, Shellie-Popkin.

This energetic ruler, Ad Douglas A. Groat, through the co-operation of the Betty Washer Company has managed to round up a washing machine for use of one of the three garrison mess halls. Two more are needed to ease the difficulty of washing for the men responsible for feeding the troops. A phone call to the Garrison Commander will have delivery right at your door pronto to pick up that old machine for which you have no further use, but which will be an undisciplined blessing to the cook house staff.

Following its initial set-back in overtime at the hand of the Unionist squad, the Garrison team

ANOTHER SEAT GOES TO GRITS IN N. B. HOUSE

HOPEWELL, CAPE, N.B. Dec. 9.—The Liberals gained another seat in the New Brunswick legislature yesterday when H. O. Downey was declared elected in Albert county after a recount of votes cast in the provincial election Nov. 20.

Downey's election gave the Liberals both seats in the two-seat county. Lewis Smith, Conservative, and Russell Colpitt, Liberal, had been declared elected when official returns were made a week after the election.

The additional member will raise the Liberal representation in the 48-seat legislature to 29. Conservatives hold the other 19 seats.

Body Of Princess Louise Cremated At Golders Green

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The body of Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, who died last Sunday aged 81, was cremated yesterday at the Golders Green crematorium.

The ashes will be interred in the private funeral service will be held privately in St. George's Chapel, Windsor.

Last Tuesday Prime Minister Chamberlain paid tribute to the Princess, great-aunt of the King and daughter of Queen Victoria, calling her the first link in the long association between the Dominion of Canada and the Royal family.

Agreement In Miner Strike Now Reached

REGINA, Dec. 9.—After nearly seven weeks of negotiations involving operators, strikers and Saskatchewan government officials, the strike in Estevan coal fields was settled Friday. Withdrawal of the unions from the field for duration of the war and a year following the

80 Traffic Deaths In Montreal, 1939

MONTREAL, Dec. 9.—Traffic accidents in Montreal have claimed 80 lives so far this year, compared with 78 in the corresponding period of 1938, city authorities announced Friday.

RIALTO Today—Monday—Tuesday

DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM ZOOMING THRU BY SHEER GRIT!

Discredited by the world... yet fighting their way back to an honored place in the sky!

Richard ARLEN
Andy DEVINE
in "LEGION OF LOST FLYERS"

Also **MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN**
William LUNDIGAN
and **Big Boy WILLIAMS**
and **ONE MURDER**

Damaged French Vessel Arrives In Spanish Port

CARTAGENA, Spain, Dec. 9.—The 1,104-ton French merchant ship, *Qued Tifet*, arrived in this Spanish Mediterranean port yesterday badly damaged, apparently by a mine or torpedo.

Port authorities said merely that the ship, carrying cereals from French Morocco to France, entered the port in a damaged condition.

Publisher Dead

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—J. B. Coram, former publisher and editor of the *Perth Advocate* and, later the *Drayton Advocate*, died Friday.

With The Railroaders

On the National Lines

Of importance to all members of Lodges 738 and 861, B.R.T. is the arrival of Vice-President W. Kennedy, accompanied by Brother L. Maher, general chairman, on December 12. A special joint meeting has been arranged to be held at the Masonic Temple at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, when as many members of both lodges who can do so are asked to attend so that Mr. Kennedy may be introduced to Mr. Kennedy. Brother Maher and Vice-President Kennedy will leave for the east again on Wednesday night.

The regular meeting of Division No. 79 of the C. B. of R. E. will be held Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple. All members are urged to attend as the election of officers for the coming year will take place.

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. P. G. Roe, wife of Engineer P. G. Roe, who passed away last Monday. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon.

S. Mac, chief boiler inspector, returned to Winnipeg last Thursday after a week's visit in Edmonton.

E. A. Russell, district stockkeeper, is a business visitor in Winnipeg this week.

Fireman T. Paster returned to work this week after two months sick leave.

TRANSFERRED

C. F. Bell has been transferred from the Calder stores department lumber yard to the city stores department.

Marshall M. Chase, of Hanna, was a visitor in Edmonton for a few days this week.

Fireman P. Sking is now recuperating at his home from a recent appendicitis operation.

Labourer J. Miller has been transferred from Edson to Wainwright to work.

Brickman A. Miller returned to work this week after a month's sick leave.

T. Linden, boilermaker helper, N. Y. has been on sick leave for the past week.

Labourer K. Penby has been transferred from Wainwright to work at Calgary.

EXTEND SYMPATHY

We wish to extend our sympathy to the family and relatives of Mr. Smith, wife of William E. R. Smith, who passed away suddenly at her home on Thursday.

Mrs. M. G. Gieson, wife of M. Gieson, brickmaker, and two children, John and Ellen, are back home after a six months' visit in England and Ireland. They also stayed a week in New York City visiting relatives.

C.P.R. Rail News

H. M. Allan, C.P.R. master mechanic, is in the city during the past week in Edmonton for the past week.

M. G. Gieson, C.P.R. boiler inspector, was in the city recently on official business.

Following the retirement of Manuel Bourne, C.P.R. roadmaster, effective November 20, B. D. Curtis has been appointed to take charge of the Willington east subdivision with headquarters at Lacombe.

L. Desharnais, formerly employed on the Medicine Hat division, has been appointed roadmaster in charge of the Coronation subdivision with headquarters at Coronation.

W. G. Swenson, C.P.R. master car builder, Winnipeg, was a visitor in the city during the past week on company business.

A train rules study group has been organized on the C.P.R. Edmonton division and the first meeting of this group will be held in the club room on Thursday, Dec. 12, at 8 p.m. At this and subsequent meetings, the important subjects of train rules will be carefully studied and discussed, and it is hoped that all Canadian Pacific employees who are able to

should plan to attend.

ADDED SUBJECTS

"PUBLIC HOBBY" (Novelty)

"ICE PROLOGUE" (Musical Comedy)

"LATES FOX NEWS"

"THE LOVE RANGER" (Musical Comedy)

GIVE THEATRE TICKETS FOR CHRISTMAS, THE IDEAL GIFT

CAPITOL TODAY MONDAY - TUESDAY

Three Memorable Characters Live the Pages of a Great Novel By Lloyd C. Douglas

"GET OUT OF HERE AND STAY OUT...there's no room for love in a doctor's life!"

ROY ROGERS

Southward Ho!

Princess

Shirley Temple

Susannah of the Mountains

Scott Lockwood

The "Dead End" Kids

"Hell's Kitchen"

MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN

HENRY FONDA

"LET US LIVE"

IN COLOR

DONALD DUCK

MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN

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"LET US LIVE"

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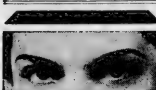
DONALD DUCK

Who's Who



J. M. BYERS
John Murray Byers, druggist, residence: Stony Plain, born in 1910 at New Anna, Noyo Scotia, son of Walter H. Byers and Margaret P. Bell. Educated at Camrose high school and University of Alberta. Started business career at Camrose with Bertles Drug Store, since has engaged in drug store business at Stony Plain conducting his own business. Religion: United Church. Recreation: Tennis, skating, fishing. Business address: Byers Drug Store, Stony Plain.

J. O. Walker, Montreal, general superintendent of perashite traffic for the C.P.R., was in Edmonton on Saturday on an inspection visit. He was accompanied by G. J. Donaghy, Winnipeg, superintendent of general traffic and weights, and William Bryson, Montreal, inspector of perashite traffic. They are at the Macdonald.



THE EYE SEES MOTION

The eyes of animals can see only motion. Motion, to them, is danger and the slightest move will put them to flight. Human eyes can see form and color and brightness, as well as motion. The human eye is the most perfect seeing organ on earth. Its vision should be kept efficient and clear by a periodic examination and correction of defects. Clear, efficient vision means better work, better health, and greater safety. The efficient service of leading registered optometrists in Edmonton and Red Deer are at your disposal. Why not pay a visit to—

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OIL BUSINESS GIVES \$2,799 TO RED CROSS

Companies and Employees Boost Fund—Hon. J. A. MacKinnon Aids

Contribution of \$2,799 to the Canadian Red Cross Society war-time fund from Edmonton oil companies was announced Saturday by W. J. Dick, campaign chairman for Northern Alberta. Oil companies which have contributed with their employees, to the fund are Imperial Oil Company, British American Oil Co. Ltd., McCall-Frontenac Oil Co. Ltd., North Star Oil Ltd., Maple Leaf Petroleum Ltd., Canadian Oil Companies Ltd., Standard Oil of Canada, and the Canadian Oil Sales Ltd. and Highway Refineries. The list is still incomplete, and other donations will be received at a later date.

Hon. James A. MacKinnon, M. P. for West Edmonton, and minister without portfolio, has donated \$250 to the Red Cross Society's fund. The donation was made at a reception given at the Canadian Red Cross Society's headquarters in the city. Contributions are being received in a steady stream from city firms and individuals and from residents of country points in the vicinity of Edmonton.

Contribution of \$370 from the Canadian Red Cross Society branch at Fairview has been received.

K. OF C. PLAN INTENSIVE DRIVE FOR ARMY HUTS

Intent on reaching their objective of \$4000 for Edmonton and district by Monday, closing date of the drive which opened Dec. 3, Knights of Columbus Canadian Army Huts of Canada issued a last-minute appeal Saturday for funds to aid the organization in its war-time work for Canadian soldiers of all denominations. A \$2000 order drive across Canada is underway to carry on the work for the comfort of soldiers which began in the first Great War. During those years the K. of C. Canadian Army Huts erected at least 1000 huts for the comfort of Canadian soldiers. These included 68,000 cigarettes, 60,000 beds, 100,000 blankets, 70,000 towels, 150,000 packages of tobacco, 3,200 Christmas hampers, 25,000 decks of playing cards, 25,000 pairs of socks, 75,000 cigars.

Endorsing the C.A.H. campaign, Mayor John W. Fry said Saturday: "Every citizen and every organization should rally to the support of any movement that has for its object the comfort and pleasure of our soldiers, and I have no hesitation in urging upon all the day and the privilege of endorsing a national service in this particular manner."

Donations are being received at the Knights of Columbus Club, 1020 10th Avenue, from firms and individuals not connected with canvassers.

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They Present Instruments And...



While thousands looked on at Market Square Friday afternoon, Mayor John W. Fry handed over a complete set of band instruments to Lieut.-Col. W. G. Stillman, officer commanding the Edmonton Regiment. Left to right are Col. Stillman, His Honor Lieut.-Governor J. C. Bowen, who personally presented the instruments to individual bandmen, and Mayor Fry. Just behind Col. Stillman is City Police Staff Inspector Matt. Blackwood.

The Boys March Away With Them



And here is the band marching west on 101st Avenue from the Square after the presentation, playing the "Beer Barrel Polka." Funds for the instruments were collected in the city and at country points under the supervision of John Michaels, city businessman.

Martial Music Will Sound Once Again as Instruments Donated

When the Edmonton Regiment marches away from here, it will march to stirring music on a set of brand new British-made instruments. Gift of residents of this city and district, through public subscription, these shining instruments were presented to Lieut.-Col. W. G. Stillman, officer commanding the regiment, by Mayor John W. Fry, in an impressive ceremony at the Market Square Friday afternoon.

An intensive campaign to raise the required funds, in order to have the band equipped at an early date should be called upon to leave for active service, resulted in a generous response. Fully 2,500 persons attended the Market Square to view the presentation proceedings, while the regiment numbered 800 strong.

The regiment in full battle order, including the band, was paraded from the Prince of Wales Armoury to the Market Square. It formed up on three sides, the north, west and east. On a table at the northeast corner of the square the instruments were open for public inspection for an hour prior to the ceremony. A local booker system was installed and police details were on hand to maintain unbroken lines on the south side.

Around the table were His Honor Lieut.-Col. J. C. Bowen, Mayor John W. Fry, Mrs. Jas. W. A. Glennech, C.B. C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., K.C., principal officer commanding the 49th Battalion, who is convening a conference to be given in aid of The Red Cross Society fund over C.F.R.N. commencing at 10:15 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 15. Each year for the last several years, Mr. Cole, a returned member of the regiment, has been in charge of the fund-raising campaign, with the assistance of C.F.R.N. This time he is again arranging an outstanding program. He will announce further details later. But keep the time and the day in mind.

Premier Albertina in a weekend visit to Calgary, having gone to the city to address the Calgary Prospective Bible Institute. He is expected to return to his office Monday.

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The Inquiring Reporter

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THE QUESTION:
"What is the most useless Christmas present you ever received from one of the opposite sex?" This query was suggested by P. G. Rogers of Loughheed, who was the "apples for the trees" and also—

THE PLACE:
Jasper avenue east.

THE ANSWERS:
WINNIE DUNN, 1040 34th Street: I think the most useless Christmas present I have received has been a box of soap. I have received a box of soap from a friend, and I can't use it.

D. J. EATON, 3412 112 Street: One thing I hate to give is a box of soap. I have received a box of soap from a friend, and I can't use it.

BIB GORDON, 1071 31st Street: I have never received any presents that were useless. No sir. You don't catch me this class.

SAUNDERS EVERETT, 1071 31st Street: The worst thing I ever got was a box of soap. I have received a box of soap from a friend, and I can't use it.

REV. P. A. RICHARD, 1071 31st Street: The worst thing I ever got was a box of soap. I have received a box of soap from a friend, and I can't use it.

CASSIE KORKKO, 1071 31st Street: The worst thing I ever got was a box of soap. I have received a box of soap from a friend, and I can't use it.

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He was survived by three daughters, Mrs. H. L. Brown, Mrs. W. G. Turner and Mrs. W. A. Lang, all of Edmonton; three sons, W. J. Wilson, of St. A. and his wife, Wilson of Dalmat, and George L. Wilson of Calgary, and five grand-children. Funeral services will be held from Howard and McPherson chapel at 2:30 p.m. Monday with Rev. A. F. March speaking. Interment will follow in the Edmonton cemetery.

Military Orders
The Legion of Frontiersmen (Canadian Division) is holding a Christmas dinner at the city hall on Monday night. The dinner will be the first of the series of dinners which will be given by the legion every month. The dinner will be held at the city hall on Monday night.

J. W. Glenwright Is City Visitor
J. W. Glenwright, formerly of Edmonton and now resident of Toronto, who has been the head office of the Commercial Life Assurance Company Limited, which he is managing director, now arrived in the city Saturday morning on a brief visit. Glenwright, formerly president of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce and a leading business figure of the city, is meeting many old friends here during his stay in Edmonton.

I Saw Today



MARGARET "TINA" RUTLEDGE exchanging greetings with a friend at Jasper east 103 street.

JEAN HOBSON turning toward the centre of the city from the west end, Vista Gardens in the central section of the city. Guelph house on 107 street. Her husband, Herbert, is in the city. Jean is in the city.

Incubation Film Will Be Shown
D. R. Chittenden, M.Sc., of the University of Alberta will address a meeting of the Edmonton Public Library on Saturday night at 8 p.m. The subject of the meeting will be "Incubation Film." The film will be shown at 8 p.m. on Saturday night.

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CONCERT FOR VETS' FUND IS BIG HIT

Large Crowd Applauds Not Forgotten Fund Entertainment Here

Sparkling songs, witty lines, snappy original dancing and inspiring music all combined to make the Vista Concert Party an event at the Empire theatre Friday night in aid of the British Red Cross Society. A large audience thoroughly enjoyed itself and from the sales of applause that greeted each successive contribution, it was apparent that the show was highly popular.

Warm tributes to L. W. Brownfield, program conductor and his assistants, who worked unrelentingly to make the show a success, were made by the audience.

HIGH CLASS TALENT
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Little Orphan Annie

"His Not to Reason Why"

—By Gray



The Gumps

Soup's On!

—By Edson



Moon Mullins

Word of Mouth

—By Willard



Gasoline Alley

Slowed to a Stop

—By King



Dick Tracy

Friendly Hands

—By Chester Gould



Boots and Her Buddies

Thanks to Tip

—By Martin



Alley Oop

Success

—By Hamlin



5 WOULD KILL

By Tom Horner

CASE OF CHARACTER: ARNOLD BENTHORN, FIVE MEN who had been in the same room with him.

ALTON, Benthorn's father-in-law and business associate, JOE TORIO, right club owner and gangster.

ARA JOHNSON, the mystery girl, JOHN DOUGLAS, a young man, and CAPTAIN DAWSON, a detective who likes to listen.

Yesterday, Dawson came the evidence against each of the four remaining suspects, decided his best case was Benthorn. He is the young fellow who had been in the room. He had to have Ara, Douglas, and Benthorn. He had to have Ara, Douglas, and Benthorn. He had to have Ara, Douglas, and Benthorn.

CHAPTER XX.

BUT I DID NOT see who killed Benthorn? Douglas went on. "You see, after getting away from Flynn, I ran to the study window. Ara evidently had noticed it was open during the first night. Benthorn and I had suggested my trying it. When I heard Flynn's whistle, I thought he was coming. I slipped down behind some shrubbery. Then when the other rascal came, I saw where I was hiding. I decided to get inside the house quickly.

"As I rose and started to push the window up I heard Benthorn shout 'YOU!' and a soft voice answered, almost in a whisper, 'I couldn't make out the words. There was a shot. I hesitated long enough to draw my own revolver—'It's an old cove. It's—' Benthorn pushed himself through the window.

"Benthorn was dead on the floor beside the desk. The killer was gone. The study door was closed. I opened this heavy chair against it, and as I did I found a red button. Ara said he saw this morning that he must have dropped off his sleeve early last night. I searched the room over, the desk, the drawers of the books while the officers pounded the door. When I finally started to take off the hinges I went out the window.

"There was another officer stationed at the back gate, Dawson put in. 'Weren't you afraid he might see you?' 'I knew where he was—Ara and I checked the layout pretty thoroughly when we decided we had to get to Benthorn some way. He did just as I expected—ran to the nearest call box and put in the alarm. Then went back to the rear gate. I had no trouble getting out the front and walking down to where I was to meet Ara and Nick. But they were gone.'

"You told me you met them in your first story, Douglas, the captain reminded him.

"That was to protect Ara," Douglas explained. "I didn't want to let you know she had left the cab. I didn't know it myself until this morning.

"How about that revolver? Where is it now?"

"In my room, at the apartment house about two blocks from Ara's. You'll find it hasn't been discharged recently."

Dawson grunted, his disbelief. "We'll see about that. And what was so important that you had to search this room to find it?"

Those letters belonging to the girl?

"Just a minute, Captain. Come along, Flynn. Douglas stepped to the window, started to climb out. Flynn's service revolver appeared in his hand almost as if by magic.

"If you try to run, I'll let you have it," he warned.

"Don't shoot," Douglas laughed, and disappeared.

"I had tried unsuccessfully, to see Benthorn to force him to tell how he had obtained possession of my uncle's claim. I was willing to take chances to find out. It was only when I showed Ara the red button I found in the chair, that I identified she had been here earlier."

I suppose I should have guessed something was wrong when she knew about the window, and when she did not tell me exactly when she had first seen her father. But when the fellow is love, little things like that are often overlooked."

Dawson nodded. There was a long, tense silence. At length, Dawson rose, faced the youth.

"John Douglas, I arrest you for the murders of Arnold Benthorn and Joe di Turi."

Douglas face lost color. He gasped as the full impact of the words struck home. "But I told the truth—the whole truth!"

All of Dawson's friendliness had disappeared. "That's for a jury to decide."

Flynn, call a squad car to take Douglas in."

"May I see Ara?" Douglas ventured.

"Not alone. . . . You're a prisoner now."

Flynn brought Ara to the study, then hurried to the telephone. Ara sensed the tension and as Douglas gathered her in his arms, her eyes

questioned Douglas.

"In arresting Douglas for both murders," Dawson said quietly, "Ara broke from her sweetheart's embrace, turned on the detective. 'You can't do this! Don't you see he's been lying, lying to save me! . . . Her voice rose to a scream.'

"Ara! Ara, darling. . . . Please!" Douglas pleaded. "You don't know what you're saying."

"But I do!" Her eyes flashed sparks. "I killed my father. I came back through the passageway. I ran to the study door and shot him. You're right, Captain. I saw me, heard me. Joe di Turi saw me!"

I killed him, too—di Turi!" she went on before Dawson could interrupt. "You'll find the gun up stairs—in Mrs. Benthorn's room—under the mattress—it was all—so easy." Her voice broke as a flood of tears halted her.

"Don't believe her," Dawson. Douglas ordered. "The girl's hysterical. She doesn't know what she's saying. You're right, Captain. I killed Benthorn. . . . and the other fellow, too."

Dawson's smile was enigmatic as he watched Douglas again take the girl in his arms, whispering to her. She shook her head vigorously several times as her sobbing broke out.

Flynn's return eased the situation. "The car will be here shortly," he reported. "The coroner's deputy will be back, too, to take care of the body. They found the bullet that killed Benthorn."

He handed Dawson a slip of paper with a brief notation.

"And Captain—I've got a hunch—"

"No time for hunches—I want facts, now, Flynn," Dawson snapped, taking the paper. He read it hurriedly, whistling tunelessly. "Well—what are you waiting for? What is this hunch you've been talking about?"

Freckles

—By Merrill Blosser

WELL—NICE TO HAVE SEEN YOU, SON! I MUST BE OFF!

I COULD CERTAINLY FIND HIS 'CINDERELLA' AND HE'S LEAVING TO REGRET IT!

DO YOU HAVE A HOBBY, MR. SMITH?

I DID HAVE—THE ROCKERS CAME OFF, AND ALL I HAD PULLED OUT OF THE TAIL.

OW. OOO. OOO!!

HECTOR, YOU TURN BATTERY AND SHAKE HANDS WITH MR. SMITH!

Curious World

—By William Ferguson

THE IRON ORE LODESTONE TENDS TO POINT NORTH IN THE SOUTH HEMISPHERE SUSPENDED BY A STRING.

COWS WON'T EAT MILK AT THE SIDES OF MOUNTAINS MORE THAN 15,000 FEET.

HELP!

DOES SOUND TRAVEL FASTER OR WATER?

Sonnysayings



Us is goin' into a huddle to see will we drop-kick or punk.

Animal Crackers



"It's their way of claiming we got nothin' on 'em."

Flynn started in amazement. "There's a big black cat out in the left over the garage. I found it just before I came back. I thought you ought to know."

(To Be Continued)

—By Merrill Blosser

World-Wide News Pictures By The Edmonton Bulletin Cameramen

Martial Law In Prague



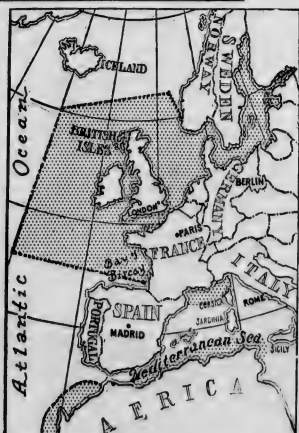
A striking view of some of the 10,000 piket troops of Adolf Hitler's Elite Guards, who are now patrolling and garrisoning Prague after martial law was clamped down on the Czech city after the execution, by a German firing squad, of three additional Czech rebels, including two police officers. With 12 alleged Czech ringleaders known to have been executed and 120 other Czechs reported slain and 8,000 taken in custody, the martial law proclamation was proclaimed soon after the Nazi-controlled Prague radio broadcast an appeal by former Czech President Emil Hacha to the people to keep the peace by refraining from violent outbreaks against the German authorities. The Elite Guards are equipped with field and machine guns to aid them in enforcing the drastic military rule, not only on the former Czech capital, but also on outlying towns.

Sanctuary In England



If German raiders bombard Reading, England, the town's Holy Trinity church will become an air raid shelter. Above, workmen dig entrances into church vaults. Signs over door announce "Public Shelters."

Barred To U. S. Ships



Shaded areas in European and African waters are those banned to American ships by President Roosevelt's proclamation that followed signing of the new Neutrality Bill.

Germany Can Strike In Any Direction



GREATER Germany today is really a big country. And despite the handicaps of a hemmed-in position, she enjoys too the historic advantage of inner lines of defense. She can concentrate her forces quickly, smash with most of her strength at almost any country in Europe.

Five years ago, Germany had only 180,000 square miles and 60,000,000 people. But Adolf Hitler wanted all the Germans under one flag, and he wanted "living room," so today Germany counts about 285,000 square miles of land and about 97,000,000 people, not including the part of Poland under German rule but not annexed. (That makes Germany nearly as large as the U.S., with sevenths as many people.)

Having got most of what he wanted, Hitler finds himself at war with Britain and France. Anti-Nazi Poles, Czechs and Austrians may add to the difficulties of waging that war, but from the conquered territory come products that help Germany endure the British blockade—grain, timber, coal and iron from Czechoslovakia; hay, timber, coal and iron from Austria; coal and grain from Poland.

Not very rich in either farm land or mineral wealth, and cut off from most of her overseas sources, Germany must husband what she has and be forever seeking substitutes. Iron and oil are two wartime essentials. Germany has been producing only 25 per cent of her iron ore needs, but she plans to increase that percentage by smelting low-grade ores. The work is in charge of the Hermann Goering Iron

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Works, which is building two big iron and steel plants at Brunswick and Linz—far from the great steel and coal centers in the Saar and the Ruhr valley, which are uncomfortably close to the Western Front.

To meet her gasoline needs, Germany is distilling oil from coal. It takes three-fourths of a ton of coal to produce one barrel of oil, but she has plenty of coal. Last year she produced 4,215,000 barrels of oil distilled from 13,000,000 more, had to import the rest of her 53-million-barrel consumption. Now she is building a great new distillation plant near Stettin, which probably will use some of Poland's coal.

Coal, too, helps to produce 25,000 metric tons of "buna"—artificial rubber—a year. Her annual imports of rubber have been 90,000 tons; now she is building a second "buna" plant.

Germany's big forests, augmented by the rich timberland of Austria and Czechoslovakia, are important not only for the usual wood products but also because from wood pulp Germany makes artificial fiber for clothes. From synthetic fiber in 1937 she produced 137,000 metric tons of textiles.

Also of major importance in war time is a good communication system. To a good network of railroads and highways, Germany the last few years has been adding autobahnen, or super-speedways, about 2,000 miles of which have been completed.

These roads are about 75 feet wide, with a broad strip of parkway down the middle. Since they are level and run through no towns, Germans boast they

The Rise Of Greater Germany



save 20 to 40 per cent in gasoline and permit much faster travel than on ordinary roads. At an average speed of 40 miles, soldiers can pass a given point at the rate of 70,000 an hour.

Minesweeper Sunk While on Active Duty



The British minesweeper trawler Masfio, above, was sunk by a German mine off the east coast of England, according to a British Admiralty announcement. One of the Masfio's crew was reported killed and five were reported missing. The picture was transmitted from New York by Photophone.

Dutch Liner Victim of German Mine



The masts and superstructure are all that may be seen of the Dutch liner Simon Bolivar as the liner sank in the North Sea, off the east coast of England after striking a floating German mine. Eighty-six persons lost their lives in the sinking. This picture was taken shortly before the Simon Bolivar plunged to the bottom of the sea, and landed in New York by radio and transmitted by Photophone.

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LEAPIN' LIZARDS!
LOOK! HERES ALL 'BOUT
THOSE TWO CROOKS THEY
FOUND FLOATIN' IN TH
RIVER WITH BUSTED NECKS
SEE? THEIR PITCHERS!

'SLUG' AND 'PUNK'. I
HEARD THEY WERE CALLED
SMALL TIME MOBSTERS.
I IMAGINE—I DIDN'T
NOTICE THEIR
PICTURES—

BUT LOOK! IT'S THOSE
TWO TOUGH GUYS
YOU SOCKED—REMEMBER?
AND I'LL BET THEY
WERE TH SAME ONES
WHO TRIED TO GET
US LATER—

GREAT
SCOTT!
YOU'RE
RIGHT!
I WONDER
WHY---

PROBABLY
I OUGHT
TO FEEL
SORRY
FOR THEM—



HELLO
PAT—
COME
IN—

HELLO
MR.
POTSY—

MORNIN',
LIEUTENANT—

MORNIN', FOLKS!
BUT IT'S NOT
LIEUTENANT ANY
MORE---NOW
IT'S CAPTAIN!
WHAT DO YOU
THINK O' THAT?



CONGRATULATIONS!
THAT'S GREAT! HOW
DID IT HAPPEN?
WE THOUGHT MORE
LIKELY YOU'D BE
BUSTED THAN
PROMOTED—

HA! SO DID I—OH,
I SEE YOU'RE LOOKING
AT THOSE TWO PICTURES—
HM---FUNNY THINGS
DO BE HAPPENIN', EH?



I HEAR RUMORS—THE
WAY I GET IT, ANSON JOG
FIGGERED HE WAS BIG ENOUGH
TO TAKE OVER THIS TOWN
FROM NICK GATT—

SO---MAYBE
I BEGIN TO SEE
A LIGHT—



SURE— I HEAR 'SLUG'
AND 'PUNK' WERE TO BE
ANSON'S PARTNERS—AFTER
THEY'D REMOVED NICK—
---BUT WHILE REMOVIN'
NICK THEY HAD A
LITTLE ACCIDENT—

YES—AND BEFORE
WORD GOT BACK TO
ANSON, NICK HAD
HIM ARRESTED FOR
JASPER KEYS MURDER—
BUT WHY BOTHER?



SURE— WHY DIDN'T
NICK SIMPLY REMOVE
ANSON, EH? I THOUGHT
OF THAT—I DON'T KNOW
ANY MORE THAN I KNOW
WHY I WAS PROMOTED
INSTEAD OF FIRED—

YOU CONNECT NICK
WITH BOTH THOSE
MATTERS, EH? AND
WHY DID JACK
BLACK, THE DISTRICT
ATTORNEY, CALL ME
IN YESTERDAY?



YES—SO I HEARD— MADE YOU
SPECIAL PROSECUTOR TO HANDLE
ANSON JOG'S CASE—IT'LL MAKE
YOU, JOHN, IF YOU DO CONVICT
HIM---AND MY GUESS IS
---YOU CAN'T LOSE—

HM---M---ALL
I KNOW IS
ANSON JOG
IS GUILTY—
AND I'M GOING
TO PROVE IT—



PAT POTSY IS
A FINE, HONEST
TOP—BUT WHY
DID YOU ASK ME
TO MAKE HIM A
CAPTAIN?

BECAUSE HE IS WHAT
YOU SAY, COMMISSIONER—
AND HE IS BRAVE— I DO
NOT DISLIKE THE POLICE—
I ONLY HATE DISHONEST
POLICEMEN—



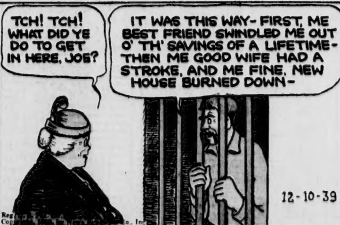
YOU DO NOT KNOW ME WELL,
COMMISSIONER— NO ONE KNOWS
OLD NICK---NOT INSIDE---YOU
TOO THINK I AM HEARTLESS, EH?
SURE—'SLUG' AND 'PUNK'---WEAK!
THEY TRIED TO MURDER ME—SO-O---
BUT ANSON JOG---HA!

YES--- I
CAN'T
FIGURE
YOUR
ANGLE
THERE—



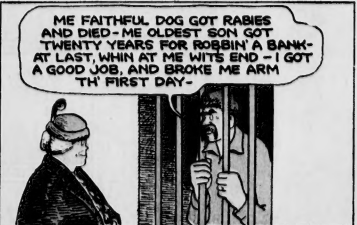
HE PLANNED MY MURDER—SURE—BUT
I WOULD NOT SHOOT HIM—IT WILL NOT
BE NECESSARY— HE WILL KNOW—LET THE
STATE PUNISH HIM— HA! I SHOULD GET
SOMETHING FOR ALL THE TAXES I PAY, EH?

Maw Green



TCH! TCH!
WHAT DID YE
DO TO GET
IN HERE, JOE?

IT WAS THIS WAY— FIRST, ME
BEST FRIEND SWINDLED ME OUT
O' TH' SAVINGS OF A LIFETIME—
THEN ME GOOD WIFE HAD A
STROKE, AND ME FINE, NEW
HOUSE BURNED DOWN—



ME FAITHFUL DOG GOT RABIES
AND DIED— ME OLDEST SON GOT
TWENTY YEARS FOR ROBBIN' A BANK—
AT LAST, WHIN AT ME WITS' END— I GOT
A GOOD JOB, AND BROKE ME ARM
TH' FIRST DAY—



WELL, I WAS TELLIN' ALL THIS TO
THAT ZANY, BILL BRYGHT AND HE
SEZ, 'CHEER UP! TH' WORST IS YIT
TO COME--- SO I SHOT HIM!

HAROLD
GRAY ■

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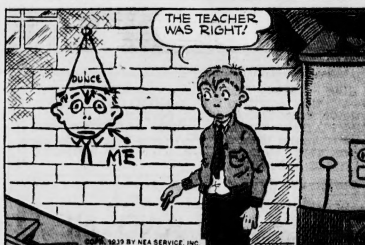
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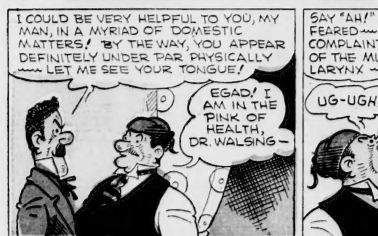
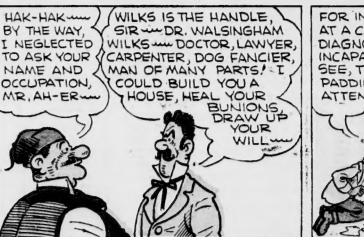
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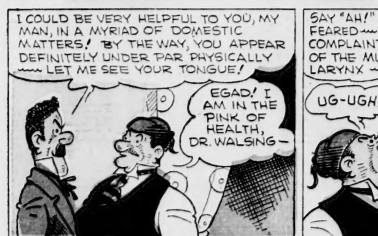
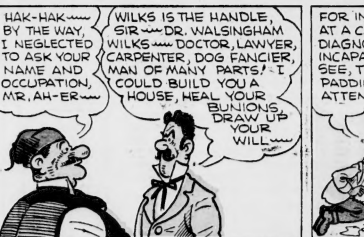
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE



MAJOR HOOPLE

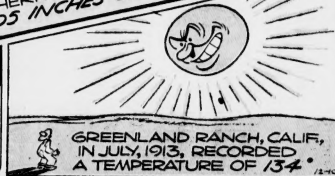


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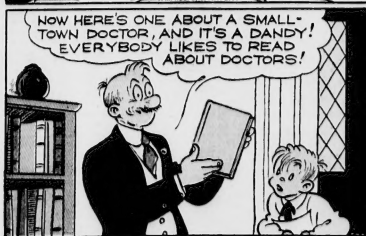
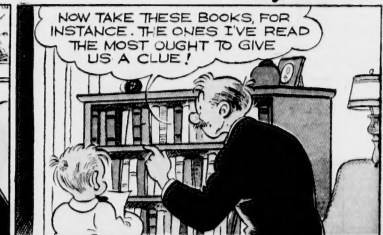
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